

Office of Child Welfare Programs

Policy Transmittal

Maurita Johnson, Deput	y Director	<u>Number</u> : CW-PT-13-003		
Authorized Signature Issue D		Issue Date: 11/15/13		
Topic: Foster Care Transmitting (check the box that best applies): □ New policy □ Policy change □ Policy clarification □ Executive letter ☑ Administrative Rule □ Manual update □ Other:				
Applies to (check all that apply): All DHS employees Area Agencies on Aging Aging and People with Disabilities Children, Adults and Families County DD Program Managers County Mental Health Directors Health Services Office of Developmental Disabilities Services (ODDS) Other (please specify):				
Policy/rule title:	I-E.5.1.1.1 Behavior Rehabilitation Services I-A.5.1 Contested Case Hearings			
Policy/rule number(s):	OAR 413-090-0055 thru 009 OAR413-010-0500 thru0535			
Effective date:	11/15/13	Expiration:		
Web Address:	http://www.dhs.state.or.us/policy/childwelfare/implement/implement_memo.htm			

Discussion/interpretation:

The Department of Administrative Services, Oregon Youth Authority and Department of Human Services jointly developed rules for the Medicaid funded Behavior Rehabilitation Services program. DHS separately developed rules that cover the responsibilities of contracted providers who care for children and young adults in the care or custody of the Department. DHS incorporated the DMAP rules covering Behavior Rehabilitation Services by reference into the DHS rules.

<u>Implementation/transition instructions</u>: Filed in November, 2013, these rules become effective January 1, 2014.

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<u>Training/communication plan</u>: Behavior Rehabilitation Services programs will be presented at the January supervisor and Permanency quarterly regional meetings. In addition, Well Being Unit staffs are available for training and consultation at branch or unit meetings, or for individual consultation on child welfare cases.

<u>Local/branch action required</u>: Branches are expected to read and understand the rules. Training can be requested through the Well Being Program.

<u>Central office action required</u>: Provide training as requested.

Field/stakeholder review: X Yes No

<u>If yes, reviewed by</u>: Rule Advisory Committee, Policy Council

Filing Instructions:

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